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MEDIA ADVISORY

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UDOT to Close One Direction of I-15 for Beam Placement at 500 East in American Fork on Nights of Oct. 14 and 15

WHAT: Construction teams on UDOT's Utah County I-15 Corridor Expansion (I-15 CORE) are scheduled to close one direction of Interstate 15 at 500 East in American Fork. All lanes on northbound I-15 will close Thursday, Oct. 14, from 11 p.m. to 5:30 a.m. All lanes on southbound I-15 will close Friday, Oct. 15, also from 11 p.m. to 5:30 a.m. Late night UEA travelers should be prepared for some added delay.

Lane restrictions will begin at 9 p.m. leading to the full closure at 11 p.m. with traffic diverting to on- and off-ramps Thursday and onto local roads Friday.

Crews will be placing beams on the north bridge of the new I-15 interchange in American Fork. The 500 East Bridge is one of 63 structures on the I-15 CORE that will be new, rebuilt or modified on the 24-mile project. Detour maps are available on the I-15 CORE website, udot.utah.gov/i15core.

WHEN: Thursday, Oct. 14, 11 p.m. to 5:30 a.m.

Friday, Oct. 15, 11 p.m. to 5:30 a.m.

WHERE: 500 East Bridge in American Fork on I-15

VISUALS: DETOUR GRAPHIC ATTACHED. Crews placing beams on 500 East Bridge on I-15 CORE, UDOT's largest project; construction workers and heavy equipment; traffic being diverted at the bridge.

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